Shristi Gartaula

Creative, analytical, and collaborative UX designer with project management experience

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RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelancer, shristig.com & betterwithtea.com— Toronto

OCT 2012 - PRESENT

 Created graphic design and copywriting and other marketing collateral for local businesses and music venues; transitioning into UX design

Senior Marketing Coordinator, Explorica— Toronto

JANUARY 2015 - MAY 2017

- Lead the marketing campaign for the highest grossing Canadian product
- Improved brand collateral for Canadian products by leading development process, working with 4-person Boston team and Toronto sales managers
- Saved +\$10k in marketing costs by moving printing and shipping process in-house

Head of Marketing, AIESEC in Switzerland— Bern

JULY 2013 - SEPT 2014

- Increased sales by 11% by launching 4 national marketing campaigns for 3 products
- Increased brand awareness by managing online channels: Facebook Page (+2000 likes in 7 months), main website (increased page view and duration by 20%)
- Created workshops and facilitated 8 team leads on strategies to help drive their local marketing campaigns

EDUCATION

User Experience and Product Design, General Assembly— Toronto

JUNE - SEPT 2017

- Over 500 hours of coursework with hands-on training from industry professionals
- Projects employed human-centered design thinking at each stage of product lifecycle, including user feedback methods and effective communication

Innovation Summit, BrainStore— Brooklyn

MAY 2014, MAY 2017

- Trained on BrainStore's ideation process to facilitate clients' ability to generate ideas
- Designed product solutions for a leading health and wellness manufacturing company

Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences '12, University of Guelph— Guelph

- VP of AIESEC Guelph, won AIESEC Canada's Communications Award 2011
- Board of Directors member and Secretary for CFRU 93.3 Radio Station

SKILLSET

UX

User story mapping

Ethnography

Task flow charts

Usability testing

Prototyping

Heuristic evaluation

Technical

Balsamig

Sketch

Invision

Principle

Framer

Adobe Creative Suite

Basic HTML/CSS

Interpersonal

Facilitation

Coordination

Public speaking

Training